



Docket No.: 43890-470

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277
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Kunio KISHIMOTO, et al. : Confirmation Number: 7834
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Serial No.: 09/736,499 : Group Art Unit: 3724
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Filed: December 15, 2000 : Examiner: Timothy V. ELEY
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For: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING A CIRCUIT BOARD AND ITS
MANUFACTURING APPARATUS

AMENDMENT

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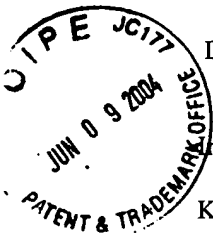
Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed March 9, 2004, having a shortened statutory response period set to expire June 9, 2004, please amend the above identified application as follows:

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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No additional fee is required.

Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27

Also attached:

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The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	33	67	0	\$18.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	16	3	13	\$86.00 =	\$1118.00
Multiple claims newly presented					\$0.00
Fee for extension of time					\$0.00
Total of Above Calculations					\$1118.00

☒ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 500417 in the amount of \$1118.00. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.

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Respectfully submitted,

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